



PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 09812.0568-00000

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. National State of Application No. PCT/JP2005/018956 for:	) ) ) Group Art Unit: 2621 ) ) Examiner: Nguyen, Hui Thanh ) ) Confirmation No. 1054
Inventors: Tetsuhiro MAEDA et al.	
Application No.: 10/590,504	
Filed: August 24, 2006	)
For: DATA RECORDING METHOD, DATA RECORDING APPARATUS AND IMAGE PICK-UP APPARATUS	) ) )

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In a Restriction Requirement mailed November 12, 2009, the period for response to which extends through December 12, 2009, the Examiner required restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121 between the following groups:

Group I: Claims 1-6, characterized by the Examiner as being drawn to data recording, classified in class 369, subclass 48; and

Group II: Claims 7-9, characterized by the Examiner as being drawn to a camera for recording moving picture and still picture, classified in class 386, subclass 117.

Applicant provisionally elects to prosecute Group II, claims 7-9.

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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